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Roll on in for London Fringe

Tread the boards.
Variety key as organizers eye ticket target

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People are lining up in the thousands for London Fringe, but the organizers want thousands more than ever.

With dozens of shows at venues across the city, more than 17,000 tickets were sold for last year's Fringe. This year, executive producer Kathy Navackas wants to break the "magic number" of 20,000, and the secret is variety.

"We have an open application process, which means we draw all participants from the hat," Navackas said. "Everyone has an equal chance to get on. We, the organizers, don't decide what people are going to do. The artists decide what they're going to do."

Artists are coming from as far away as Australia and South Africa, but there are plenty of Londoners there, including the people behind the "bathroom farce" Ladies' Room, which is at the Arts Project from Friday.

"Theatre Soup is a proudly London company, and we have been putting on shows in this town for 16 years now," said producer and cast member Sookie Mei. "The Fringe is a big deal for us because not only do we get to interact with fabulous people from all over the world, but we get to entertain the hometown audience, too."

The show is a great example of Fringe theatre that's presented in London but also finds a home in festivals across Canada and beyond. It's a comedy that reveals the secrets of the women's washroom.

Then there's New Brunswick-born Nancy Kenny, who's bringing her one-woman show Roller Derby Saved My Soul to the McManus Theatre starting Thursday as part of a four-month tour of festivals.

"It's a show about a shy young woman who loves comic books and superheroes, and is unhappy with her life," said Kenny. "She discovers roller derby, which she associates with being a superhero, and her life changes."

Fringe fest numbers

- **17,000** tickets sold last year
- **20,000** tickets is the 2014 target
- More than **500** performers, volunteers and others make London Fringe happen
- More than **50** groups stage events

Some of what's on offer

On tap...

There's so much going on at London Fringe that it's tough — and probably unfair — to single anyone out. Check londonfringe.ca for information about all shows and their dates. Here's some of what's on offer:

— Two self-confessed London B-listers, Kurt Fitzpatrick and the Reverend Nuge, are trying to become A-listers by joining forces in the show Bromance, at the Good Foundation Theatre starting Wednesday.

— Londoner Ray Jarvis Ruby has written Concrete Kid, described as a "queer coming of age tale." It's presented by Toronto's Blue Dagger Theatre at the Spriet Family Theatre starting Thursday.

— British comedy duo James and Jamesy are back after a successful visit last year, with High Tea. It's at the London Convention Centre starting Thursday.

— More than 35 artists have their work on show at the Visual Fringe, opening Wednesday at The Arts Project. It includes "video-poems" by the city's former poet laureate, Penn Kemp.

Nancy Kenny will be appearing in Roller Derby Saved My Soul at the McManus Theatre as part of Fringe. CONTRIBUTED

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Set to return

London Covers crowns a winner

Somebody had to win — Bailey Pelkman has been crowned the queen of London Covers.

The singing contest run by the London Youth Advisory Council had been running since March.

Pelkman, a Fanshawe College student, will receive recording time, music video production and a professional photography session.

The contest saw people record themselves performing song covers. After an online vote, 10 finalists competed on Saturday.

"We could not be more pleased," says contest co-founder Jordan Sojnocki, confirming London Covers will return next year. METRO

Ailsa Craig

Teen crash victims still in hospital

Two teens injured in a single-vehicle crash near Ailsa Craig on Sunday remain in hospital.

Police said the 15-year-old driver is in critical condition. A 16-year-old passenger is listed as fair.

The boys are from Michigan, police said.

The crash happened on Queen Street near West Corner Drive. METRO

No date set

New LCBO coming to north London

London's getting a new LCBO store — a big one.

A spokeswoman said the store at Fanshawe Park Road and Hyde Park Road will open "later this summer."

She said it will be similar in size to the LCBO at Masonville. METRO

Police go back over scene of unsolved murder

London investigators were back at the scene of a two-year-old unsolved murder on Tuesday. Their work included placing evidence markers and using surveyor's equipment near the spot where Jonathan Zak, 29, was shot on May 31, 2012. Det. Gary Bezaire wouldn't divulge exactly what police were doing but did say there are no new developments in the case. Investigators have never given up on finding those responsible for Zak's death, he noted. Zak's body was found on a walking path on the east side of St. Peter's Cemetery near Lord Elgin school on Victoria Drive. The activity comes days after a memorial bench was dedicated in his honour. SCOTT TAYLOR/METRO

Committee asks for tree-planting spree

Tree-cover targets. Officials balk at plan for being too timid

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London's chief protector of trees was at city hall Tuesday to present what he saw as ambitious targets to add more forest to the Forest City.

But the presentation by Ivan Listar, the city's manager of urban forestry, immediately came under attack.

Dean Sheppard, executive director of ReForest London, said the idea didn't go far enough. Others, including elected officials, agreed.

"Is this really the best we could do for targets?" Sheppard asked. "We personally were hoping for more."

The city's new urban forest strategy was put before the planning and environment committee at a public participation meeting. The suggested targets for tree cover were 25 per cent by 2035 and 32 per cent by 2065.

Listar said the city's trees have a calculated value of $1.5 billion but are "under significant threat."

Chief city planner John Fleming also advised council members that individual spending plans will come forward in annual city budgets, perhaps reaching $6.5 million by 2020.

But Sheppard said the overall targets are too low and there's an urgent need to increase tree cover in the next three years.

"The proposed targets are less than we currently enjoy in Old North (at 39 per cent)," Sheppard added. "Why would we plan to have less cover in 50 years?"

Tanya Park agreed, speaking on behalf of the SoHo Community Association.

She called it "embarrassing" for London to have lower targets than other cities.

"I'll be damned if I'll be second to Hamilton or any of those other places," Mayor Joe Fontana added.

The committee unanimously agreed to send the strategy back to staff. It's due within three months.

How we compare

Tree cover in London has dropped to 22.9 from 24.7 per cent in six years, due to bugs, weather, construction and more.

- Other cities have higher targets. Oakville and Brantford want 40 per cent cover by 2055, while Toronto wants 34 per cent by 2055.
- Guelph is aiming for 40 per cent by 2040 and Hamilton wants 35 per cent by 2040.

SOURCES: CITY OF LONDON AND REFOREST LONDON

Rollover. London man thrown from car, killed

Middlesex Ontario Provincial Police say a 29-year-old London man was the victim of a single-vehicle crash in Lucan Biddulph on Sunday.

Jason Fuller had been travelling west on Whalen Line near Mitchell Line when he lost control of his car just before 11 a.m. and left the road. The vehicle sped into a field and rolled over, ejecting Fuller, who was pronounced dead at the scene.

The investigation into how and why he lost control is ongoing, police say.

On Facebook, family and friends are mourning the loss of Fuller, who died less than a week after another close family member died. SCOTT TAYLOR/METRO

Port Stanley

Unidentified body found in water

The body of an unidentified man estimated to be in his 60s was found Tuesday morning in the water against rocks near Little Beach in Port Stanley, OPP said. A couple stumbled upon the grisly scene at about 10:30 a.m. Police said fishing equipment was found near the body, and foul play isn't suspected. SCOTT TAYLOR/METRO

Woodstock. Four break-ins occur in a single afternoon

Woodstock police are investigating a rash of break-ins on Monday afternoon.

The first home was in the area of Earlscourt and Brompton. Someone went through a window at about 12:30 p.m. and stole jewellery, police said.

A home on Lansdowne Avenue was next as a man forced open the door between 1 and 2 p.m. He was met by the homeowner and left.

About 2:30 p.m. someone entered a Wellington Street North home through an insecure door, stealing jewelry and cash. A neighbour reported seeing a man riding a bike south on Wellington, police said.

Jewellery and cash were also stolen from a Lancaster Street home. METRO

Leaders' debate. Wynne faces tough questions from public, opponents

Liberal Leader Kathleen Wynne faced hard questions in the Ontario leaders' debate Tuesday night, not only from her opponents but from the voters who submitted questions as well.

The hardball questions started with the first. A voter wanted to know how he could trust the Liberals with his pension, considering the money wasted in the gas plant scandal.

Wynne apologized and admitted the decision to cancel gas plants was wrong.

"Public good was sacrificed to partisan interests," she said.

"I take responsibility," she said. "I was part of a government that made decisions and they were not the right decisions."

Wynne promised that she has made changes that will ensure the scandal — including the deletion of emails in the aftermath — doesn't happen again, such as implementing a policy to retain documents.

Progressive Conservative Leader Tim Hudak also questioned Wynne, asking her why, when she was a member of Dalton McGuinty's cabinet, did she sign a document authorizing the government to cancel the Oakville gas plant.

"Yours is the signature on that contract that sold taxpayers up the river. You had a choice.

"Why didn't you just say no?" Hudak asked her.

Wynne's said the decision was made as part of the cabinet as a whole and reiterated that she's apologized for the scandal.

On transit, a voter asked if drivers outside of Toronto should have to pay for Toronto's transit, when people taking transit in the city are "far better off," because they don't have car expenses.

In response, NDP Leader Andrea Horwath said her party would reduce auto insurance rates, but also repeated her pledge to "focus" on building the downtown relief line in Toronto.

Wynne said the Liberals' plan to invest $29 billion over 10 years in transportation does not see people outside of the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area pay for transit in Toronto.

Hudak said his government would let municipalities use their share of the provincial gas tax as they please, but would help Toronto build the relief line and expand the two-way service of the GO train.

Hudak, meanwhile, came under attack for what economists have called math mistakes in his platform, the Million Jobs Plan. Wynne repeatedly said his plan to eliminate 100,000 public-sector jobs and severe budget cuts would drive the province back into recession.

For her part, Horwath attacked Wynne and Hudak on their weak points with a message to voters: "You don't have to choose between bad ethics and bad math."

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Fair weather. Londoners can expect an 'average' summer: Meteorologist

This is how meteorologists in Canada make jokes: "After such a cold winter and very slow start to the spring, I regret to inform you that we are actually going to see summer."

Meteorologist Elena Lappo said that with at least what sounded like a straight face Tuesday as The Weather Network released its summer forecast for London.

So, what's in the future? Well, it won't be anything like the extreme cold we felt this winter.

The key word here is "average."

"We're expecting the summer to average out to average or slightly below average temperature-wise," Lappo said. "However, even though the forecast is calling for slightly below averages by the end of the summer, it doesn't mean we're not going to see any warm days at all."

This week's weather, she added, should be fairly typical for the next few months, making for a trend of a day or two in the upper 20s, followed by a few cooler days.

Monday and Tuesday were muggy, but the temperature will drop significantly until we bottom out at a high of 18 C on Thursday, according to short-term forecasts.

London broke record lows numerous times this past winter — sometimes experiencing a wind chill of below -40 C with 20 per cent more snow than average. SCOTT TAYLOR/METRO

Goodlife is hoping to see plenty more scenes like this one play out across the country as it offers free summer memberships to teens to help in the fight against childhood obesity. CONTRIBUTED

Free workouts to get teens active

Couch potato cure. No-cost summer gym memberships for youth at Goodlife

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It's just what the doctor ordered.

Goodlife Fitness is throwing open its doors to teens across the country for free workouts this summer — a move designed to help fight the epidemic of childhood obesity.

Tess Gentleman, who's the team leader for teen fitness at London-based Goodlife, said the program has been running for five years. Last year, more than 40,000 teens across the country took advantage.

"There are lots of research studies showing that Canadian teens need to be more active," she said, "so Goodlife is recognizing that we need to take a leadership role to be part of that solution.

"We feel that as a known fitness company, it's our responsibility."

Getting people active at a young age sets the stage for a lifetime of exercise.

According to Statistics Canada, 29 per cent of Canadian adolescents had unhealthy weights in 2007. That almost doubles the 15 per cent in 1978. If the trend continues, up to 70 per cent of adults will be either overweight or obese by 2040.

The Heart and Stroke Foundation reports the current rate of overweight and obese children in Ontario is slightly lower than the national average at 28 per cent.

Gentleman said Goodlife insists on parents being the ones to sign their kids up for the summer program because the chain wants them to play an active role in their kids' health.

Low fitness rates

Only nine per cent of boys and four per cent of girls meet Canadian physical activity guidelines, according to the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

After signing up for their first summer, many teens return in following years with brothers and sisters in tow, Gentleman said.

"It's been exciting to hear stories from the teens of what they're wanting to work on and see those success stories."

Plan for women's group home rattling city

The controversy about a proposed group home for women offenders in east London rumbled on Tuesday night.

Members of the planning and environment committee voted against plans by St. Leonard's Community Services for an eight-resident home at 313 Clarke Rd. That's despite staff saying the home, which would house women on parole or probation as part of a government contract that St. Leonard's holds, does accord with city policies and is needed.

Among those speaking to the meeting was resident Linda Davis, there to represent her neighbours' views. They claim the total number of residents and staff, plus residents' children on visits, will make the home crowded. The neighbours also say there isn't enough parking or amenity space.

In April, council asked the applicant to reduce the number of group home residents to four, but the application has returned unchanged and with a city staff recommendation that it be approved.

Despite the vote at Monday's planning committee meeting, council could still vote to approve the group home at its meeting next Tuesday. MIKE DONACHIE/METRO

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MIKE SCHREINER:

As part of a series of Metro interviews with provincial leaders ahead of the June 12 election, Mike Schreiner argues why proportional representation is good public policy, makes his case for stopping funding for Catholic schools and deals with the resignation of the Green Party's London West candidate. For video highlights, go to metronews.ca.

PLEDGING TO DISMANTLE THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

The Green Party of Ontario, despite having no elected MPPs, has ambitious plans for the province: dismantle the Catholic school system, adopt proportional representation, use revenue tools to raise money to build public transit and bust up the beer duopoly.

"The Green Party, in this campaign, we're really on a mission to bring honesty, integrity and good public policy to Queen's Park," said GPO Leader Mike Schreiner in a one-on-one interview with Metro, as part of our series of interviews with party leaders.

"The one thing I'm hearing over and over again — knocking on doors, going to cafés, things like that — is people are really tired of the political games going on at Queen's Park. They're tired of the gimmicks, the scandals, the magic math of the three status quo parties' platforms and the debate that Queen's Park is producing."

Schreiner is running in Guelph, where according to projections by threehundredeight.com, there's currently a 76 per cent chance the Liberal candidate will win. However, Schreiner has been polling in second place, marginally ahead of the Progressive Conservative candidate.

Schreiner has been campaigning to get one or two Green MPPs into the legislature, following the example set by federal Green Party Leader Elizabeth May.

He acknowledges that proportional representation, which his party supports, would benefit his party, but also argues it's good public policy.

"I want every vote to count," he said. "If you're a Liberal voter in rural Ontario, you're likely to think that your vote doesn't count because you're probably in a riding that always votes conservative. Likewise, if you're a conservative voter in downtown Toronto, where it usually goes Liberal or NDP, it's like your vote doesn't count either. And if you're a newer party, it's very difficult."

Schreiner said Greens would have 10 or 12 MPPs if we had proportional representation in Canada.

"In Ontario we have zero seats in the legislature, so those hundreds of thousands of people who support us don't have a voice at Queen's Park," he said. "By moving to proportional representation you eliminate strategic voting, you minimize the amount of negative campaigning which goes on, which increasingly tends to dominate our elections, and you force parties to transparently figure out ways to co-operate in the public interest, rather than in their political self-interest."

However, proportional representation wasn't actually in the Green's platform this election. Instead, it is focused on jobs, kids and the environment. One of the most notable policies is the pledge to dismantle the public Catholic school system and stop funding Catholic schools.

"We have 124 schools across the province slated for closure, another 174 being threatened to be closed. We have kids who are being bused across town long distances because they can't go to their neighbourhood school because they're the wrong religion," he said. "It would free up up to $1.6 billion which could be reinvested back into our children's classrooms."

The motivation isn't purely financial. Schreiner says the Catholic boards are also subject to "persistent human rights concerns."

The Greens propose doubling the Ontario Child Benefit, and paying for it by ending the Ontario Clean Energy Benefit, which is a 10 per cent rebate on hydro bills.

The rebate "costs Ontario $1.1 billion a year, and it's a benefit that primarily benefits the wealthy.… The people who use the most electricity get the most benefit because it's just 10 per cent of whatever you use," he said. "Let's stop that handout, which actually undermines conservation programs and energy efficiency programs anyway, and let's use those resources on focusing on getting children out of poverty right now."

The party's long-term strategy is to move to a guaranteed annual income. "It sounds like kind of a radical left-wing idea, but it's actually an idea that has been mostly promoted by conservatives because it's a small-government approach to addressing poverty," he said.

"Instead of having a big-government bureaucracy policing the poor, which, you know, there isn't a lot of dignity associated with, let's take that money and actually put it in the pockets of the people who need it the most.… Initial studies suggest that it could be mostly paid for by reducing the government bureaucracy around policing the poor."

The Green Party has seen little controversy in the election outside of the loss of Gary Brown, its candidate for London West, early in the campaign. Brown resigned and posted a message saying he would be focusing on local issues. "The Green Party of Ontario's platform still best reflects my values but the lack of commitment and effort from the party to contest and win elections has always been at odds with my personal work ethic," Brown wrote. "With Premiere Wynne advocating for many of the issues I support I am no longer sure that my strong advocacy for green issues as a GPO candidate is the most effective way to effect change."

In response, Schreiner said he believes Greens work hard, "running on four or five hours sleep at night, seven days a week … to elect our first Green MPP."

Highlights

On selling beer …

"Our small craft brewers in particular have a very difficult time getting their product to market through the duopoly that is The Beer Store and the LCBO.… One of the ways we can create new, innovative ways of allowing craft brewers to access the marketplace is to allow them to open up their own stores … or … to open a kiosk in existing stores."

On how the Green platform would help manufacturing …

"By lowering payroll taxes on small businesses that helps entrepreneurs, particularly those entrepreneurs who are developing new manufacturing businesses.… Secondly, if you look globally where the growth is happening in manufacturing … it's in clean technologies and it's those technologies the Green Party has been promoting through our policies."

On using revenue tools to fund transit building …

"Our plan says that for $250 a year, that's well under $1 a day, we can raise the revenue to build world-class transit for Ontario."

On farmland …

"We lose 350 acres of farmland every day.… We don't think it makes sense for the status quo parties to allow development to destroy prime farmland when it's so essential to our ability to eat, and to our economy."

On wind power …

"We are calling for the Liberal government to end the moratorium on offshore wind.… There are proposals … that are so far out in Lake Ontario people probably aren't going to see them anyways."

On pensions …

"It's really through CPP that we should be looking at reforming our pensions, rather than setting up a completely separate provincial system.… I think we need to look at new funding models. I think looking at natural resource revenues as a way to, an innovative source of funding for things like pension reform is a smart way to go."

Three-parent IVF babies. GMO embryos appear not 'unsafe': U.K. regulator

Britain's fertility regulator says controversial techniques to create embryos from the DNA of three people "do not appear to be unsafe" even though no one has ever received the treatment, according to a new report released Tuesday.

The report based its conclusion largely on lab tests and some animal experiments.

"Until a healthy baby is born, we cannot say 100 per cent that these techniques are safe," said Dr. Andy Greenfield, who chaired the expert panel behind the report.

The techniques are meant to stop mothers from passing on potentially fatal genetic diseases to their babies and involve altering a human egg or embryo before transferring it into a woman. Such methods have only been allowed for research in a lab, but the U.K. department of health said it hopes for new legislation this year. If approved, Britain would become the first country to allow embryos to be genetically modified this way.

Critics have described the research as unethical and stressed its unknown dangers.

Marcy Darnovsky, of the Center for Genetics and Society in the U.S., warned that allowing the method might lead to a slippery slope and tempt scientists and parents to use the techniques to create designer babies with certain traits.

Experts say that if approved, these new methods would likely be used in about a dozen British women every year who are known to have faulty mitochondria — the energy-producing structures outside a cell's nucleus. Genetic defects in the mitochondria can result in diseases such as muscular dystrophy, heart problems and mental retardation.

The techniques involve removing the nucleus DNA from the egg of a prospective mother and inserting it into a donor egg, where the nucleus DNA has been removed.

Earlier this year, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration held a meeting to discuss the techniques and scientists warned it could take decades to determine if they are safe.

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Not surefire either

"Safety is not a straightforward issue."

Dr. Andy Greenfield, chair of the expert panel behind the British report, reacting to criticism that the new technology may run into unexpected dangers.

Hundreds signed. Letter from scientists to PM: Reject Northern Gateway

A letter signed by hundreds of scientists from around the world is urging Prime Minister Stephen Harper to reject a federal panel report recommending approval of the Northern Gateway pipeline.

The federal government must release its final decision by June 17 on the 1,200-kilometre pipeline that would link the Alberta oilsands with a tanker port on the B.C. coast.

The letter sent this week to Harper and several key cabinet ministers said the report by the joint review panel is "indefensible as a basis to judge in favour of the project."

It was signed by 300 scientists at universities from Newfoundland to Vancouver Island, along with colleagues from international institutions including Stanford, Cornell and Oxford.

The chief concern from the group is that the panel did not look at the increase in global greenhouse gas emissions that will result from the expansion in oilsands production.

"The panel was not given a mandate ... to look at the larger climate change picture," said Kai Chan, an associate professor at the Institute for Resources, Environment and Sustainability at the University of British Columbia and one of the instigators of the petition.

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Prime Minister Stephen Harper
THE CANADIAN PRESS

People's Liberation Army soldiers march near their rifles before an honour guard performance outside the Great Hall of the People near Tiananmen Square in Beijing, Tuesday. China allows no discussion of the events of June 3-4, 1989, when soldiers accompanied by tanks and armoured personnel carriers fought their way into the heart of the city, killing hundreds of protesting citizens and onlookers. ALEXANDER F. YUAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Survivors recall Tiananmen Square

After 25 years. As China still tries to cover up the massacre, those who lived tell their tales of June 4, 1989, in Beijing

LUCY SCHOLEY
Metro in Ottawa

Liane Lee remembers holding back a screaming 12-year-old boy in Tiananmen Square.

"They killed my brother. They killed my brother!" she recalls him yelling to the soldiers who had been firing at the pro-democracy protesters. It was the early hours of June 4, 1989 — a day that Lee still struggles talking about 25 years later. But she recounted the bloody military massacre to an audience at the University of Ottawa on Tuesday.

Then a 26-year-old university student from Hong Kong, Lee held the boy back until he finally wriggled away. She says she still remembers the smell of his sweat and the warmth of his tears. Witnesses say the boy's body was later carried to the first aid station, covered in blood, but Lee does not remember that. She figures she blocked it from her memory.

Now 55 and living in Cleveland, Ohio, Lee says many Chinese people have accused her of lying about the massacre that killed a still-unknown number of the country's students, teachers and workers.

"I want to remember their names, but I can only remember their noble faces," said Lee, who urged the audience to reflect on the massacre that the Chinese government is still trying to cover up today. Many scholars, artists and lawyers who have tried to commemorate the event on this milestone have wound up under house arrest or in jail.

Chen Yuguo was a teacher at Beijing University who had been camping out at the square in the days leading up to the massacre. He was in one of the last groups that left at about 5 a.m. on June 4, after seeing many people crushed by tanks and a colleague "badly, almost fatally stabbed."

Cheuk Kwan, of the Toronto Association for Democracy in China, said human rights have "deteriorated" in China since the Tiananmen Square massacre.

"We should not forget June 4," he said. "Those who don't learn from history are condemned to repeat it."

Quoted

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Currently

Like it never happened

China allows no public discussion of the events of June 3-4, 1989, when soldiers accompanied by tanks and armoured personnel carriers fought their way into the heart of the city, killing hundreds of unarmed protesters and onlookers. The government has never issued a complete, formal accounting of the crackdown and the number of casualties.

Beijing's official line is that the student-led protests aimed to topple the ruling Communist Party and plunge China into chaos. Protest leaders said they were just seeking greater democracy and freedom, and an end to corruption and favouritism within the party. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

After criticism, Visa's prepaid cards to come with new labels

Under fire. Payment processor unveils new set of standards in the U.S. after critics said fees were unclear

Visa's prepaid cards will meet a new set of standards in the U.S. PHOTO ILLUSTRATION BY JUSTIN SULLIVAN/GETTY IMAGES

Visa wants to make it easier for people to spot a cheaper prepaid card.

The payment processor said it will put labels on packages of cards that meet a new set of standards it unveiled Tuesday.

Those standards include a flat monthly fee and no hidden charges. Companies that issue Visa prepaid cards will have to apply for the new label, and the program is voluntary. It could take up to a year before the seal of approval starts showing up on packaging.

Prepaid cards are mainly aimed at people without chequing accounts. The cards allow people to pay bills, receive direct deposits and swipe it like a debit card in stores.

But critics have said some cards aren't clear about what they charge, even attracting attention from the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau. The U.S. federal agency is currently testing fee disclosures that it may propose on prepaid card packaging.

Visa hopes its new label will push card issuers to be more transparent and lower fees. To receive the label, the card must have no fees for declined transactions, calling customer service, paying at a cash register, using in-network ATMs or for getting cash back at a register. The cards also must be insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. or the National Credit Union Administration. They will also have Visa's fraud protection.

The new standards were developed with the Center for Financial Services Innovation and The Pew Charitable Trusts.

Visa hasn't come up with a new name for the label yet, said Cecilia Frew, who oversees its prepaid card business. Since card issuers need to apply to receive the label, it could be nine to 12 months before Visa starts awarding them.

The new label is only for U.S. cards. Visa has 25,000 prepaid card partners around the world. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

From stodgy to luxury: HBC's makeover pays off

The Hudson's Bay Company hopes a trend toward luxury goods will continue to boost its bottom line after swinging to a first-quarter profit on strong sales from Saks Fifth Avenue.

"We've been seeing a very strong, positive trend in luxury items — the more unique, the more expensive, the more special a product is, the greater the demand we seem to be getting, so that bodes well for Saks," HBC governor and CEO Richard Baker said during a conference call Tuesday to discuss first-quarter results.

HBC is on track to bring two Saks locations to Canada by the spring of 2016, he added, since the company sees "a substantial untapped opportunity for both luxury and off-price in Canada."

The Toronto-based retailer completed its acquisition of luxury U.S. retailer Saks late in 2013 for $2.9 billion including debt.

Hudson's Bay reported first-quarter net earnings of $176 million, up from a net loss of $22 million in the year-ago period as retail sales jumped to $1.85 billion, an increase of $971 million year-over-year.

Digital sales, important to the company's future growth, were $207 million in the quarter and included sales at Hudson's Bay Company, Saks and Lord & Taylor.

They accounted for 11 per cent of the company's overall sales in the quarter — a figure HBC is hoping to raise to 20 per cent over the next five years. One of the reasons HBC bought Saks last year was that its digital capabilities were more developed.

"The overall macro trend is greater movement of sales online, so I think we're very well-positioned for that," Baker said.

"HBC digital continues to show outstanding growth and we are already leveraging the team across the organization for this important channel," said Baker, adding that HBC expects customers to increasingly do online shopping as it adds to its digital offerings.

The national retailer's banners — Hudson's Bay, Lord & Taylor, Saks Fifth Avenue and Saks Fifth Avenue OFF 5TH — offer clothes, accessories, shoes, beauty and home merchandise.

Lord & Taylor had the weakest performance out of all of HBC's banners, although Baker said those results were consistent with that of its peers and reflective of the competitive retail environment that department store segment deals in. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Market Minute

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Sony kills PSP for PS Vita

Models hold Sony PlayStation Portable video game machines during a promotional event in 2009 in Hong Kong. Sony Corp. is pulling the plug on its hand-held PlayStation Portable after 10 years. The Japanese electronics and entertainment company has been pushing the successor machine, PlayStation Vita. KIN CHEUNG/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

Telecoms

Canada's Rogers makes deal with U.K.'s Vodafone

The Vodafone Group of telecommunications companies has signed an exclusive Canadian partnership agreement with Rogers Communications.

Rogers chief executive Guy Laurence, who headed Vodafone UK until he joined Toronto-based Rogers, said the new partnership will be a big benefit to its customers. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Instagram. Spend even more time editing pics

The photo-sharing app Instagram is adding editing tools that go beyond the vintage-looking filters that made it popular.

The Facebook-owned app said in a blog post Tuesday that users will be able to adjust the brightness, contrast, saturation and other features of photos they take with their smartphones.

The tools are available after downloading the newest version of Instagram, 6.0, on Android or Apple phones. The photo editing tools will appear under a wrench icon.

Instagram's filters can enhance photos or add a certain hue to them, to make them look like they were taken with a Polaroid camera in the 1970s. But as smartphone cameras have improved, many users have become more sophisticated about their snapshots. Some have turned to other apps with more powerful editing tools to fix photos before posting them on Instagram.

Instagram has more than 200 million users. It was founded in 2010 and acquired by Facebook in 2012. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LIKE TIPPING, BUT WITHOUT THE TIP

JUST SAYIN'

Paul Sullivan
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It may cost more, especially when you add in the ferry ride to Vancouver Island, but we'll have to start having lunch at Smoke 'N Water, the new restaurant at the Pacific Shores Resort in Parksville.

Not only does the food look simple and good, Smoke 'N Water has a spectacular 6,000-gallon fish tank/aquarium.

Oh, and it's the first no-tipping restaurant in Canada.

Smoke 'N Water opened yesterday, and although I've been vigilantly scanning the Vancouver Island news, there are no reports of server riots or customer fainting spells. But it's still early …

As you may remember, I've written about tipping before, almost exactly a year ago, when a number of U.S. restaurants introduced a no-tipping policy. But this is Canada, land of peace, order and everything should stay the same.

Food industry experts are calling owner David Jones naive for his view that "tipping is a broken business model" but anyone who ever tries to do anything is naive. Until it succeeds.

Jones is going to actually pay his servers a living wage — between $20 and $24 an hour. Notoriously underpaid and overworked cooks will get $16 to $18. He'll even pay medical and dental, which is rare in Restaurantland.

Here's the hitch — prices will be about 18 per cent higher than the average. Jones is betting you'll pay roughly the same as you would if you left a tip just so you don't have to leave a tip.

So let's do the math. At $24 an hour, that's $192 for an eight-hour shift. If you're earning servers' minimum wage, which in B.C. is $9 an hour, you make a base of $72. You have to make up the rest on tips. Granted, servers can make well over $100 a day on tips, but they have to do a lot of stupid server tricks to make sure they get one — pretend to love everything on the menu, put little smiley faces on the bill, hover anxiously and expectantly while the customer figures out the 15 or 20 per cent.

This way, you get paid and retain your dignity. Crazy.

It's too early to tell if this will set a trend or if Smoke 'N Water will turn into so much smoke-'n-water damage. But what's not to like? If you're a customer, you can walk into a restaurant expecting good service to be part of the, um, service, not requiring an extra bribe. If you're a server, you're a member of a fairly paid team that works together to provide a superior dining experience. Like a grown-up.

And if you're David Jones, columnists across the continent write about your new restaurant the day after it opens.

Naive, eh?

Naive like a fox

Jones is betting you'll pay roughly the same as you would if you left a tip just so you don't have to leave a tip.

ZOOM

Still life?

An ear made of human cells is grown from samples provided from a distant relative of Dutch artist Vincent van Gogh. U.S.-based artist Diemut Strebe said she wants to combine art and science with the installation.
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Replica of van Gogh's ear grown from relative's DNA

A German museum has put on display a copy of Vincent van Gogh's ear that was grown using some of the Dutch artist's genetic material.

The Center for Art and Media in Karlsruhe says the ear consists of living cells grown from samples provided by the great-great-grandson of van Gogh's brother. The museum says the genes are about 1/16th identical.

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Ear-y legend

He's known as the tortured genius who cut off his own ear, but two German historians claim that van Gogh lost his ear in a fight with his friend and fellow artist Paul Gauguin, with whom he was hopelessly infatuated.

- The official version usually goes that the disturbed Dutch painter severed his left ear lobe with a razor blade in a fit of lunacy one evening shortly before Christmas 1888. Bleeding heavily, van Gogh then wrapped it in cloth, walked to a nearby bordello and presented the severed ear to a prostitute.
- A book argues that van Gogh may have made up the story to protect Gauguin, a keen fencer, who actually lopped it off with a sword during a heated argument.

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Boston: Beyond the Affleck

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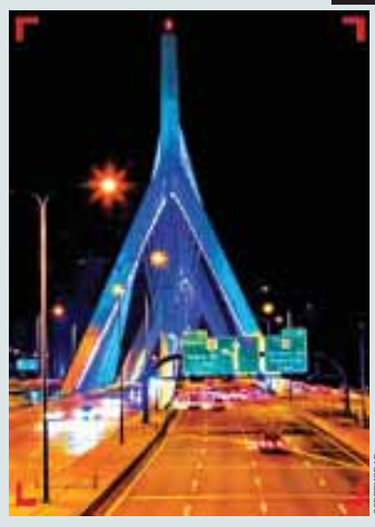

SCREENGRAB

Boston is known for a lot of things: Mark Wahlberg, Ben Affleck, the lack of "r"s in its accent and, unlike some places, consistently successful sports teams.

Since the marathon bombings, its resilience is also engrained in the city's identity; Bostonians are "Boston Strong" through and through. This video portrait of the city goes beyond first glimpses of Beantown life and celebrates the city in all its stunning glory. Every city deserves this kind of a tribute. (Via Erik Rojas/Vimeo)

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See that symbol? It means you can scan the photo below with your Metro News app to take a sneak peek of Edge of Tomorrow.

Spy games

Stone taking on Snowden story

Oliver Stone will write and direct a film about Edward Snowden, one of two high-profile films in the works about the National Security Agency leaker.

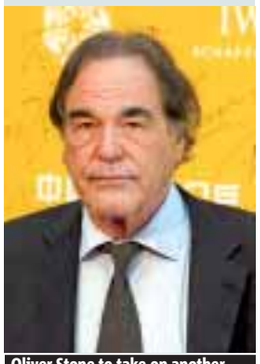
Stone announced Monday that he plans to adapt "The Snowden Files: The Inside Story of the World's Most Wanted Man," a book by Guardian journalist Luke Harding. The project pairs one of cinema's most controversial directors with one of the most explosive news events in recent years — one that is ongoing.

"This is one of the greatest stories of our time," Stone said in a statement. He added that making such a film is "a real challenge."

He will have some deep-pocketed competition. Sony Pictures last month purchased the big-screen rights to Glenn Greenwald's "No Place to Hide: Edward Snowden, the NSA and the U.S. Surveillance State." The film is being produced by James Bond producers Barbara Broccoli and Michael G. Wilson.

Stone has advocated for the former NSA contract systems analyst, who is living in Russia on a temporary grant of asylum after leaking massive amounts of NSA documents to the media.

"To me, Snowden is a hero because he revealed secrets that we should all know, that the United States has repeatedly violated the Fourth Amendment," Stone said in a press conference at the Karlovy Vary Film Festival in the Czech Republic.



Oliver Stone to take on another polarizing topic on the big screen. CONTRIBUTED

Live. Die. Repeat.

Déjà vu for Tom Cruise and Emily Blunt as she explains why wearing all of that gear must feel like an eternity in their new action/sci fi movie, Edge of Tomorrow. CONTRIBUTED

Tomorrow, today, yesterday. Latest Tom Cruise flick sees its own shadow in a recurring theme on the big screen

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"How many times have we been here," asks Rita (Emily Blunt). "For me, it's been an eternity," replies William (Cruise) as he relives the same day of an alien invasion over and over.

Edge of Tomorrow is a time-loop movie that can best be described as War of the Worlds meets Groundhog Day.

In Groundhog Day, Bill Murray says, "Every morning I wake up without a scratch on me, not a dent in the fender. I am an immortal." His take on a drunk, suicide-prone weatherman who discovers the beauty of life by living the same day endlessly may be the granddaddy of all Hollywood déjà vu stories, but many other movie characters have been caught in cinematic time circles.

The DVD cover for 2006's Salvage asks the question, "What if every day you relived your own murder?" Originally called Gruesome for the festival circuit, the movie is as grim as Bill Murray's film is life-affirming. Called a "digital video hell — spawn of Psycho, Eyes Without a Face and Groundhog Day," by Variety, Salvage is the story of Claire (Lauren Currie Lewis), a convenience store worker who undergoes her murder over and over. Despite its extremely low budget — star Lewis doubled as the film's make-up artist — Salvage was an official selection of the 2006 Sundance Festival.

The horror genre lends itself to time-bending tales. Camp Slaughter is a 2005 throwback to the slasher films of the 1980s. In this one, a group of modern teens stumble across Camp Hiawatha, a dangerous place where not-so-happy-campers are trapped in 1981 and forced to re-experience the night a maniacal murderer went on a killing spree. Labelled "Groundhog Day meets Friday the 13th (part 2,3,4,5,6,7,8... every one of them!)," by one critic, it's gory good fun.

Not into gory? The Yuletide provides a less bloody backdrop for time-looping. The title Christmas Every Day is self-explanatory but 12 Dates of Christmas is better than the name suggests. Us Weekly called this Amy Smart romantic comedy about a woman stuck in an endless Christmas Eve, a sweet "nicely woven journey."

Finally, the aptly named Repeaters is a Canadian film written by Arne Olsen, scribe of Power Rangers: The Movie. Repeaters is about a trio of recovering addicts who find themselves in "an impossible time labyrinth" after being electrocuted in a storm. Like most time-bending films, Repeaters is about learning from your mistakes. What sets it apart from some of the others are three unlikeable leads who use their situation to raise hell and break the law. It's only when Kyle (Dustin Milligan) realizes they could be in big trouble if time suddenly unfreezes for them that familiar time-loop themes of redemption and self-reflection arise.

METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

Brad Pitt ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

Red-carpet prankster was trying to 'bury his face in my crotch,' Brad says

Brad Pitt is finally breaking his silence about his red carpet run-in with Ukrainian prankster Vitalii Sediuk at the Maleficent premiere last week.

"I was at the end of the line signing autographs, when out of the corner of my eye I saw someone stage-diving over the barrier at me," he tells People magazine in a statement.

"I took a step back. This guy had latched onto my lapels. I looked down and the nutter was trying to bury his face in my crotch, so I cracked him twice in the back of the head — not too hard, but enough to get his attention because he did let go. I think he was then just grabbing for a handhold because the guys were on him, and he reached up and caught my glasses."

The crotch-targeting is in line with Sediuk's style of prank, as he'd been caught sticking his head under America Ferrera's dress last month on a Cannes red carpet.

The disgraced TV reporter was sentenced to three years' probation, a year of counselling and a temporary restraining order keeping him away from Pitt and Angelina Jolie.

"I don't mind an exhibitionist," Pitt insists. "But if this guy keeps it up, he's going to spoil it for the fans who have waited up all night for an autograph or a selfie, because it will make people more wary to approach a crowd. And he should know if he tries to look up a woman's dress again, he's going to get stomped. "

Dina Lohan

No jail time for Lilo's mom after drunk driving charge

The mother of actress Lindsay Lohan won't go to jail for speeding and driving drunk on a New York highway.

A judge ordered Dina Lohan on Tuesday to pay over $3,000 in fines and fees. She'll also perform 100 hours of community service and participate in an anti-drunk-driving program.

Lohan pleaded guilty in April to aggravated driving while intoxicated and speeding in Nassau County on Long Island in September. She has said she was fleeing paparazzi.

Police say Lohan was driving over 120 km/h in an almost 90 km/h zone. They say her blood-alcohol level was 0.20, more than double the legal limit. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Word

Hill backtracks after hurling homophobic slur at pap

MELINDA TAUB
Metro World News

This could just as easily be titled "Paparazzo successfully baits Jonah Hill into losing his cool by insulting his shorts."

On Monday, a photographer pestering the comedy star caught him on tape using a homophobic slur (TMZ has the video). Hill, who was walking with friends in L.A., did his best to ignore the paparazzo, who was dancing around and shouting questions. "I like the shorts, though, bro. They're pretty sexy," the photographer said at one point, apparently a swipe at Hill's flowery summer shorts. Hill eventually lost his cool and yelled, "Suck my d—, you f—," at the photographer.

On Tuesday, Hill, who's been known as a strong supporter of the LGBT community, went on The Howard Stern Show to offer his sincere apology for using the slur. "In that moment, I said a disgusting word that does not at all reflect how I feel about any group of people. I grew up with gay family members. I'm leaving here to go spend the day with one of my closest co-workers and best friend, who is gay, who's getting married, who I'm going to stand (with) at his wedding," Hill told Stern.

Jennifer Lopez

Jenny from the Block makes sure boyfriend won't talk

When you're Jennifer Lopez, it makes sense that certain precautions would need to be made before starting a relationship.

Among those precautions? Lopez reportedly had current boyfriend and choreographer Casper Smart sign a legal document forbidding him from discussing his and Lopez's relationship — personal or professional — with the media without her prior written approval, according to Radar Online. Lopez is "very savvy when it comes to business, but her love life is always filled with drama," a source says.

Willis Scouting out the breast way to shed light on women's issues

Scout Willis was just trying to take a stand for women by walking around the streets of New York topless, guys.

It's not her fault that she's the daughter of famous people. "I understand that people don't want to take me seriously or would rather just write me off as an attention-seeking, over-privileged, ignorant white girl," she writes in an essay for xoJane, explaining that she wants to use her "financially privileged" background to help women overcome "body politics" issues.

Scout Willis

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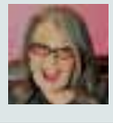

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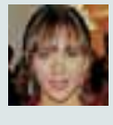

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Re-runs of Battle of the Network Stars on ESPN Classic = best thing on tv. Lisa Bonet & Philip Michael Thomas just won a race 4 NBC? #cmon

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Dude, here's the ranch!

Texas. Forget the golf and Vegas debauchery, a weekend at a ranch and spa is the new kind of mancation

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After a hard day on the ranch, kick back with tequila and meals made with produce from the resort's organic farm. PHOTOS: ANDREW DOBSON/METRO

Hoping to plan the ultimate mancation this summer but feel the Vegas Bachelor Party is overplayed? You'll find the perfect alternative at Travaasa Austin Experiential Resort, located in breezy Texas Hill Country.

Nestled against 210 acres of the Balcones Canyonlands Preserve, the resort offers a perfect playground for macho men who have a penchant for pampering.

Meals are served at Jean's Kitchen under the watchful eye of chef Benjamin Baker, who creates new menus each day to reflect the changing harvest.

His kitchen showcases produce from the resort's working organic farm, as well as locally sourced meat, fish and dairy to create flavourful, healthful meals with a Texas fusion flair.

Those who enjoy a splash in their glass will appreciate the top-notch sipping tequila, small batch bourbon and local Texas craft brews on offer at the bar.

The resort includes riding stables, a high ropes challenge course designed in partnership with Outward Bound, fitness centre, pump track, yoga studio, infinity-edge pool, dining room which spills onto a pretty patio, and a tranquil, 11-room award-winning spa.

Guests are encouraged to make the most of their vacation; relax by the pool and stretch out at morning yoga or dive right into the adrenalin rush via bike pump track and giant swing.

Those looking for an active adventure will find a dizzying number of activities to chose from. Start by holding your breath while walking the tight rope at the Prickly Pear Challenge Course before soaring through the treetops on a 250-foot-long zip line. Cyclists will find their own slice of nirvana while whizzing through a 100-square-feet Pump Track specializing in jump biking.

And no trip to Texas is complete unless you've saddled up, so be sure to stop by the equine centre with your cowboy boots. Hop on a friendly quarter horse for a guided trail ride, which includes a splash in a quiet creek and zig-zag adventure up a hillside dotted with oak and mountain juniper.

Finish the trip by treating yourself at Travaasa's award-winning wellness spa. Male guests indulge in treatments in the Western Sky Room, lined with reclaimed Douglas fir planks from an old Texas elementary school and Loblolly pine from a local library.

The ceiling is etched with a fibre-optic recreation of the Texas night sky, a deer bust hangs overhead and a rawhide chair offers a welcome spot to relax both before and after your treatment.

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Flanders Fields tour not one to forget

Belgium. 100 years on, the gravity of the Great War comes to life while wandering through Ypres

The Trenches of Death in Diksmuide, Belgium, are well preserved. ALL PHOTOS: THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Red poppies were first symbolized as a means of remembrance by Canadian First World War soldier and surgeon Lt. Col. John McCrae.

Tyne Cot is the largest Commonwealth war cemetery in the world in terms of burials, with 11,956 Commonwealth servicemen of the First World War buried there.

Crimson poppies still dance in the breeze as if nothing horrific happened in Flanders Fields of Ypres. But a century after the start of the First World War, the flowers endure as a symbol of the dead, in part because of a celebrated poem:

"In Flanders fields the poppies blow — Between the crosses, row on row."

The famous flowers are among many reminders of the region's connection to the Great War. Amid monuments and headstones in this western corner of Belgium, Flanders' eerie landscapes, trenches and bunkers continue to evoke the soldiers who died here by the hundreds of thousands. As carefree 21st century travel goes, a tour of Flanders Fields packs a punch that can long stay with you.

The haunting poem, In Flanders Fields, was written by Lt. Col. John McCrae, a doctor from Guelph, Ont., who ran a field hospital during the war. During a recent wreath-laying ceremony at the massive Tyne Cot burial grounds to honour the dead, the poem was read aloud by a student visiting with a group from St. George's Academy in Sleaford, England.

"The kids are really moved by it," said teacher Charlotte Tilley. "We had about half a dozen crying."

One stunning aspect of a visit here is the region's beauty and serenity. A spectacular springtime has turned the once barren, muddy battlegrounds lush with ripening wheat fields and pastures where cattle chew thick grass.

Walk through Ypres, which has four battles named for it, and you'd be forgiven for thinking you're in a splendidly preserved medieval town with a Gothic hall, gabled houses and spires. But what was left of the town on Nov. 11, 1918 — when the war ended — were stumps, rubble and vague memories where homes once stood. Ypres' second battle saw the first use of chemical weapons in warfare, and its third, named for the tiny village of Passchendaele, saw 150,000 men die in 100 days.

Some wanted Ypres to stay in ruins as remembrance. The people immediately decided otherwise and started rebuilding, "as if there never had been a war. It was very much a psychological reaction," said Piet Chielens, the co-ordinator of the In Flanders Fields museum, which is housed in the rebuilt neo-Gothic hall on the marketplace.

"Ypres immediately became a centre of remembrance. The first tourists and pilgrims arrived in early spring of 1919," said Chielens.

Massive crowds are expected this year. "We believe there will be something like half a million visitors this year coming from at least 70 different nations," Chielens said.

Even ahead of the official start of the centenary in August, hundreds, sometimes a few thousand, flock to the 8 p.m. playing of the Last Post, the daily salute at Ypres' Menin Gate, where walls list 54,000 soldiers who perished but were never found.

The deafening silence once the bugle stops playing is a must in remembrance tourism, as is the In Flanders Fields Museum. But visitors should also take time away from the ceremonies and crowds to wander across the flat fields dotted with low-flung ridges where so many fought and died.

"The real museum is still out there," said Chielens. "The traces, the scars in the landscape, the numerous monuments and cemeteries that will give you that sense of loss and tragedy."

It might be a tiny cemetery where only dozens of soldiers lie, a rain-sodden trench, or a derelict German bunker.

The city of Diksmuide has the Ijzertoren memorial with sweeping views of battlefields from atop its 84-metre (275-foot) tower. Nearby, the warren of Dodengang trenches brings the claustrophobia of war home, even if it no longer has the rats, stench and enemy within shouting distance.

Yet tourists should not limit their trip to pondering war. "You learn to understand what the importance of living and enjoying life is after you have been confronted with the experience," Chielens said.

For kids, that might mean a visit to the Bellewaerde theme park. For grown-ups, gastronomy stands out. Those with money and sense to reserve ahead should try In De Wulf, considered one of the world's best restaurants, in the village of Dranouter, close to the Kemmel Ridge battle site. You might spot a chef picking flowers in the fields that will turn up on your dinner plate, or you might be served, as a vegetable, shoots from hop plants used in brewing the region's famous beer.

For tourists, there's nothing like a summer's evening with a Hommelbier or St. Bernardus Tripel on a terrace to let the day sink in. And while the memory of those fluttering poppies may fade, the sense of what happened here will likely grow stronger. As McCrae wrote:

"If ye break faith with us who die — We shall not sleep, though poppies grow — In Flanders fields."

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If you go...

For more information on visiting Flanders Fields, go to visitflanders.us.

Colourful vegetables and tortillas stack up

This recipe makes four servings. Make two stacks for a bigger crowd and added leftovers. EMILY RICHARDS

Mixed Vegetable and Bean Tortilla Stack.

Chock full of vegetables, this vegetarian meal is colourful and perfect for a weeknight

DINNER EXPRESS
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Make dinner fun and easy with lots of colour with vegetables. Dinner will look good and taste great with easy pantry staples that you can put together in no time at all. While the stack is baking, be sure to put together an easy green salad or coleslaw to enjoy alongside.

Using fresh herbs and vegetables helps bring summer into the kitchen.

Keep a stash of canned beans in your kitchen for quick meals or snacks. This is a great after-school snack for kids to enjoy to keep them satisfied until dinner is ready. Get them involved and cooking by chopping vegetables and putting the stack together; you save time, and they will learn important life skills.

1. In nonstick skillet, heat oil over medium heat. Cook pepper, zucchini, onion, garlic, chili powder and cumin, stirring for about 8 minutes or until very soft. Remove from heat and stir in corn; set aside.

2. Meanwhile, in shallow dish, mash beans with potato masher until fairly smooth. Stir in vegetable mixture until combined.

3. Lay 1 flour tortilla onto a small baking sheet and spread with half of the bean mixture. Sprinkle with half of the cheese. Repeat once and top with final tortilla.

4. Topping: Spread yogurt over top of tortilla and sprinkle with cheese. Bake in 400 F (200 C) oven for about 15 minutes or until edges are crispy and filling is hot. Remove from oven and sprinkle with cilantro and tomato.

5. Cut in quarters to serve.

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- 2 tsp (10 ml) canola oil
- 1 small red bell pepper, diced
- 1 small zucchini, diced
- 1/2 cup (125 ml) diced red onion
- 6 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tsp (5 ml) chili powder
- 1/2 tsp (2 ml) ground cumin
- 1/2 cup (125 ml) corn kernels (cut from 1 cob of corn or frozen)
- 1 can (19 oz/540 ml) white kidney beans, drained and rinsed
- 3 small whole wheat flour tortillas
- 1/2 cup (125 ml) shredded cheddar cheese

Topping:

- 2 tbsp (30 ml) plain 0% yogurt
- 1 tbsp (15 ml) shredded cheddar cheese
- 1 tbsp (15 ml) chopped fresh cilantro or parsley
- 1 tomato, diced

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Cruise your way through culture shock caused by any new cubicle

It's a new job, it's a new day, and you're feeling good. Don't be daunted by the difference in atmosphere from one office to the next

MICHELLE SAMMUT
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Are the people around you sharing stories about their weekend or are they talking about work? The level of personal interaction at a workplace can reflect whether a culture values building community or growing the bottom line. ISTOCK

If you're ready to make a career move, transitioning from one office to another can be a challenge. You've done your homework on Company X and have the skill set to succeed in your new role, but the everyday details of your new environment are a mystery.

Organizational culture is the overall system of beliefs, behaviours, customs and dynamics that make up the identity of a workplace.

There are as many different types of culture as there are companies, so how do you prepare yourself for success if your past and present work cultures are like night and day?

Here are seven useful tips to ensure a smooth transition and help you overcome any office culture shock.

Before you get there

1. Establish a cultural checklist. Make a list of the qualities you liked and disliked about your last workplace to figure out which cultural qualities you need at the office in order to thrive (like an open-door policy with management) and those you can live without (lunchtime yoga classes). Developing your sense of self-awareness can help to inform your future career strategy.

2. Identify what Company X's online presence is like. Are they active on social media? Do they have a blog? Does their website feature staff photos or personal bios? If an online culture is fun and interactive it may reflect a youthful culture offline. If their online presence is more formal, offline culture could be by the book.

3. Ask strategic questions during an interview to get an idea of how your cultural checklist might fit with theirs. Targeted questions that touch on issues like work/life balance can offer you a glimpse of their cultural expectations and help you determine whether you can get behind them. Potential questions include: "What does the busiest time of year look like?" and "Which teams will I be interacting with?"

Once you arrive

4. Embark on a "culture walk" around the office and look for artifacts that implicitly tell a company story. Family photos on desks, accomplishments on office walls, memos on bulletin boards and the arrangement of furniture can all provide insights. Market-driven cultures typically have financial goals and targets displayed in plain view on whiteboards. Highly collaborative cultures might have open-concept work areas where desks are arranged into clusters.

5. Listen to the conversations happening around the office. You can discern culture by the way work is communicated. Are projects assigned primarily through email or is your manager more likely to stop by your desk to chat about it in person?

6. Find a mentor who can help you navigate office norms and habits. Invite them out for coffee as a way to get to know them better and learn more about their time with Company X.

7. Ask around about social initiatives and activities at the organization, such as volunteer programs or organized sports leagues. Establishing personal connections can sometimes be a challenge at larger organizations, so getting involved outside of the office can help you build social capital. The initiatives a company is involved with can also be a great indication of their cultural values.

Remember, adjusting to a new role always takes some time. Be patient with the process and be proud of yourself for moving on to the next step in your career path!

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Don't count on return of Expos: Van Horne

'Up, up and away.'
Longtime broadcast voice of Montreal team chats about what's needed to get MLB back in the city, his selection to the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame

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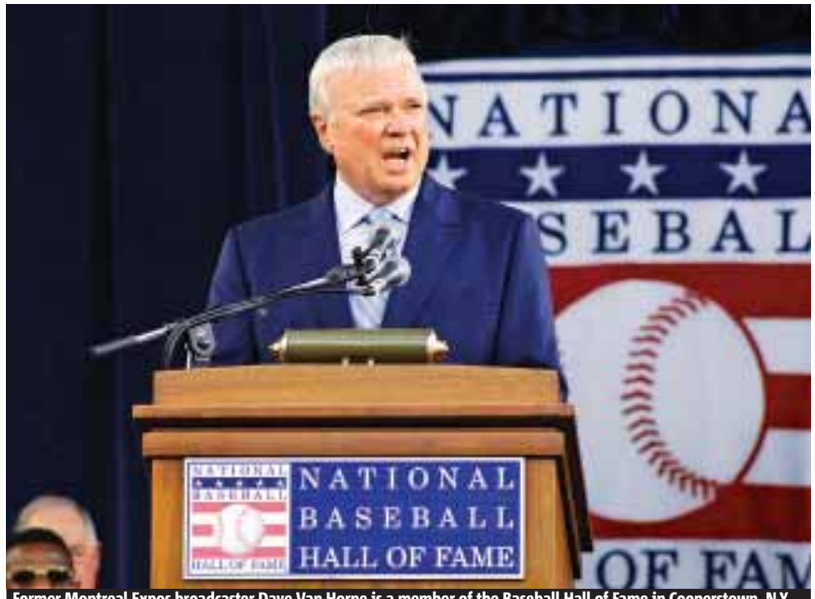

Former Montreal Expos broadcaster Dave Van Horne is a member of the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y., where he was honoured with the Ford C. Frick Award in 2011. COURTESY MILO STEWART JR./NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME

Van Horne's top 3 memories

1 Calling the first game in the Expos' history in 1969: "'You will be at Shea Stadium in New York on April 8 broadcasting the Expos-Mets game.' And that sentence just floored me," Van Horne said, recalling being told he had the job.

2 Bill Stoneman's no-hitter April 17, 1969: Ten days into his first season it took place at Connie Mack Stadium in Philadelphia where he had watched baseball as a youngster. "That was a huge thrill for me."

3 "Calling the Dennis Martinez perfect game will always stand out." The Expos pitcher did so against the Dodgers in Los Angeles on July 28, 1991. "El Presidente, El Perfecto," was the famous Van Horne call.

Don't look for Major League Baseball's return to Montreal any time soon, the longtime radio and television voice of the Montreal Expos said this week.

"I know this sounds very cold, because I understand the passion and the will that exists there to bring Major League Baseball back to Montreal, but I don't see it happening any time in the near future," Dave Van Horne said in a Metro interview.

Van Horne will, however, be making his way to London and St. Marys in the coming weeks as he will be inducted into the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame on June 21.

The day before, he will be on the panel for the fourth annual London Salutes Canadian Baseball breakfast at the London Convention Centre. Both events have a decidedly Expos theme this year.

Van Horne, best known for his trademark home run call "up, up and away," said the road to get Major League Baseball back in La Belle Province is a rocky one.

"To me, there is a lot of money at stake here and there would be a lot 'moving of mountains' to bring it about at this time," Van Horne said.

First of all, there needs to be a new baseball park in place, with Olympic Stadium not suitable at this point, Van Horne said.

"The fact is it costs millions, closer to a billion, to build a ballpark these days that would meet all major-league requirements and weather requirements in Montreal," he said.

Major League Baseball has shown little interest in expansion, Van Horne said, in outlining the second challenge.

"It would involve, as I see it, the moving of a franchise from an existing major-league city into Montreal. That would involve perhaps U.S. ownership of a team in Montreal, which likely would not sit well with the government and the people who are trying to bring baseball back."

Van Horne, meanwhile, is "shocked, overwhelmed and surprised" with his selection this year to the Canadian ball hall. He will be joined by former Expos infielder Tim Wallach, former Expos GM Murray Cook and the late Blue Jays scout Jim Ridley.

London Salutes Canadian Baseball breakfast

- **When:** Friday, June 20, 7:30-9 a.m.
- **Where:** London Convention Centre
- **Who:** Former Expos Tim Wallach, former Expos broadcaster Dave Van Horne, Hall of Famer Fergie Jenkins
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Bouchard reaches final four in French Open

Grand Slam semifinal. Canadian tennis success may inspire new generation of young athletes

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Eugenie Bouchard celebrates her quarter-final win at the French Open on Tuesday. DARKO VOJINOVIC/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The French Open success of Canadians — particularly Eugenie Bouchard — should have a major effect on tennis in this country, long-time London tennis pro Amy Cameron said Tuesday.

Eugenie Bouchard of Westmount, Que., reached her second straight Grand Slam semifinal Tuesday, defeating Spain's Carla Suarez Navarro 7-6 (4), 2-6, 7-5 at the French Open.

The 20-year-old Bouchard will now meet Russia's Maria Sharapova on Thursday after the 2012 champion beat Spain's Garbine Muguruza in a 1-6, 7-5, 6-1 comeback win.

Fellow Canadian Milos Raonic, meanwhile, came up short in his bid to reach the men's final four at Roland Garros, dropping a 7-5, 7-6 (5), 6-4 decision to Novak Djokovic of Serbia.

"(Bouchard) is at a major, so she has shown that Canadians can actually make it through on a major, by beating the top players in the world that have held their spots for so long," Cameron said between lessons at the University Tennis Centre at Western.

Cameron said Canadian numbers for women's tennis still fall behind the men's totals.

"They've started to increase because of (Bouchard) actually, and because they are seeing (tennis) as more of a strength sport that they can play for the rest of their life."

Cate McCorquodale, 27, was just about to take a lesson with Cameron.

"It's pretty cool, especially a Canadian, because tennis isn't really our sport. But it's great to see Canadians doing really well," she said about Bouchard's success.

Bouchard and Carling Bassett-Seguso are the only Canadian singles players to reach the semifinals at a Grand Slam (Bassett-Seguso, 1984 U.S. Open).

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Answering the call of the cup

Henrik Lundqvist of the New York Rangers skates during a practice session ahead of the 2014 NHL Stanley Cup final at Staples Center Monday in Los Angeles, Calif. BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

NBA

Parker's desire to play battles injury

Tony Parker plans to play in Game 1 of the NBA Finals.

The San Antonio Spurs open their rematch with the Miami Heat on Thursday, and their star point guard is nursing a balky left ankle.

Parker aggravated the injury Saturday, missing the second half of San Antonio's series-clinching victory over Oklahoma City in the Western Conference finals.

"He's getting better every day, and I expect him to play," coach Gregg Popovich said Tuesday.

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2015 Nissan Micra

- **Type.** Five-door, front-wheel drive subcompact hatchback
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- **Transmissions.** Five-speed manual, four-speed automatic
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- Nissan Canada took three years to develop this exclusive-to-Canada version, based on European-market Micra.
- Shares platform with larger Nissan Versa Note Hatchback.
- No 6-speeds, CVTs, heated seats or navigation availability keeps prices down.

This subcompact hatchback is based on a European model.

Safety

Six standard air bags; standard front/rear disc/drum brakes with ABS and Electronic Brake force Distribution (EBD) and Brake Assist; standard traction control and stability control; standard anchors and tethers for child seats; available rear backup camera and monitor.

Nissan Micra: Small is a virtue

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Review. Short and purposeful, the Micra is a Napoleon Dynamite

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Small cars have a hard time in North America, the land of the Denny's Grand Slam Breakfast and the 7-Eleven Big Gulp: If we can finish it, you didn't make it big enough.

But a new breed of small cars has been winning fans recently, due to their new-found features and hip styling, which were heretofore only available in larger, more expensive cars. But some of this nice stuff has pushed prices to where many small cars no longer wear small price tags.

Enter the 2015 Nissan Micra. At $9,998, it has the lowest base price of any new vehicle available in Canada. (Destination and PDI charges are $1,400.)

Micra's pricing advantage gets diminished once you move off that S base model with the 5-speed manual transmission. Add automatic transmission, air conditioning and cruise, and you're looking at another $3,000 or so.

But pricing always stays low and lovely on all three trim levels (S, SV and SR).

The main point is that Nissan gives you a sub-$10,000 option and others don't.

Micra also turns out be to be a great little vehicle. I recently took a very-white, top-level SR model out for a twirl, and was surprised by how much fun it was to drive.

The five-speed manual is smooth and quick to shift, and feels zippy over all.

The five-speed manual was smooth and quick to shift, and the 106-hp 1.6-litre engine was torque-y and very agreeable to being revved.

Overall, it *feels* zippy, which is actually preferable to a car that might *be* more zippy, but doesn't transmit that feeling to the driver.

It also handles well, due to the European-spec suspension, with an additional sway bar. The Canadian Micra is the only Micra in the world with both front and rear sway bars.

The rear accommodations are predictably tight for a car that stretches just 3.8 metres. But the upside is great agility, and more parking opportunities around town.

Its turning radius is also ridiculously short. You can easily turn around in the middle of most side streets. Sometimes it's good to be small.

You have to hand it to Nissan for finding this low-cost gap in the market, and for wanting to exploit it to get more new customers into the Nissan fold — customers that traditionally might have gone to the used market. Nissan even has a special financing program, just for first-time buyers that choose Micra — no previous credit history required.

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1 Hyundai Accent
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2 Chevrolet Spark
Base price: $13,495
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3 Mitsubishi Mirage
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Mirage's 74-hp 1.2-litre 3-cylinder engine makes it the least powerful new vehicle.

DRIVE

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Tesla eyes Chinese production

California's Tesla Motors says it will build cars in China within three to four years specifically for that growing market, but not in lieu of building them in the United States. That's in addition to current U.S. production, says CEO Elon Musk.

Tesla plans to spend "hundreds of millions of dollars" building a plant and installing a "big" network of battery charging stations in China, reports Bloomberg News Service. While a location wasn't announced, Musk said local production in that country would allow Tesla to sell cars at cheaper prices there by avoiding China's 25 per cent import tariff on vehicles built outside its borders.

Tesla plans to produce the Model S in China, but for that market only. U.S. production for North America would remain, says the company's CEO. ALL PHOTOS AND TEXT WHEELBASE MEDIA

BMW electric a 'goer' in two guises

Not only is the electric i3 city car different from every other vehicle BMW has ever made, it is also the most efficient, with its U.S. Environmental Protection Agency rating of 117 miles per U.S. gallon-equivalent for the car on battery power alone, 39 mpg once running on its twin-cylinder gasoline generator, and an electric range of 115 kilometres.

By comparison, observes auto enthusiast news website, Motor Authority, those electric numbers are slightly lower than the lighter, all-electric i3, which gets 124 MPGe and has an 130-kilometre range. The range-extended numbers are even higher than the leading range-extended car on the market, the Chevrolet Volt, which returns 98 MPGe and 37 mpg combined on its four-cylinder engine.

The i3 city car is rated at 117 miles per U.S. gallon in electric-only mode.

Shift points

- Chrysler will be the only brand under the newly restructured Fiat Chrysler Automobiles to offer a minivan, and will also be the first to offer plug-in hybrid vehicles. Under a new five-year plan, Chrysler will serve the mainstream audience.
- Despite announcing that production of its Insight hybrid will end this year, Honda says no production changes are planned for its Civic CR-Z and Civic Hybrid models, and that it is committed to the expansion of its hybrid offerings in North America.
- Mercedes-Benz is considering the use of three-cylinder engines for hybrid applications in future compact vehicles, reports Car and Driver magazine.

Horoscopes

♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
Material matters may be taking up a great deal of your time but don't focus on them to the exclusion of everything else. Balance your pursuit of success with something of a more spiritual nature.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
Current influences make you intensely ambitious but don't forget you have limits like everyone else. Make sure you know what they are.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
Keep what you know to yourself today, especially if the knowledge you have been given could be dangerous to people in positions of power. There is a time to rock the boat but that time is not yet.

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
You won't have to try too hard to make an impression today. Colleagues know what you are capable of but even people in positions of power are beginning to see there is something special about you.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
You need to raise your sights and pursue interests that are worthy of your time and your energy. What they may be should be a little clearer after today.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
You are determined to do something different, but you need to get started now. Come the weekend, Mercury turns retrograde, and all sorts of obstacles will be placed in your way.

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
It will pay you to be a little less independent over the next few days. Just because you don't like certain people does not mean you can't work with them.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
You seem to be under quite a bit of pressure at the moment and that pressure will build over the next few days. Make life easier by taking nothing too seriously, least of all yourself.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
You may have certain duties to fulfill but that does not mean you have to do everything others expect of you. Make sure everyone knows that you answer to only yourself!

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
You will have to make sacrifices today but the effort will be worth it. Not only do you have enough energy and enthusiasm to get things done for yourself but you will gladly help others as well.

♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
It may seem that the odds are stacked against you but that is an illusion brought about by too narrow a focus. Expand your horizons and embrace the world.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
Do what you have to do as quickly as possible, then devote yourself to activities that bring a smile to your face. Life should be about fun, not work. SALLY BROMPTON

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

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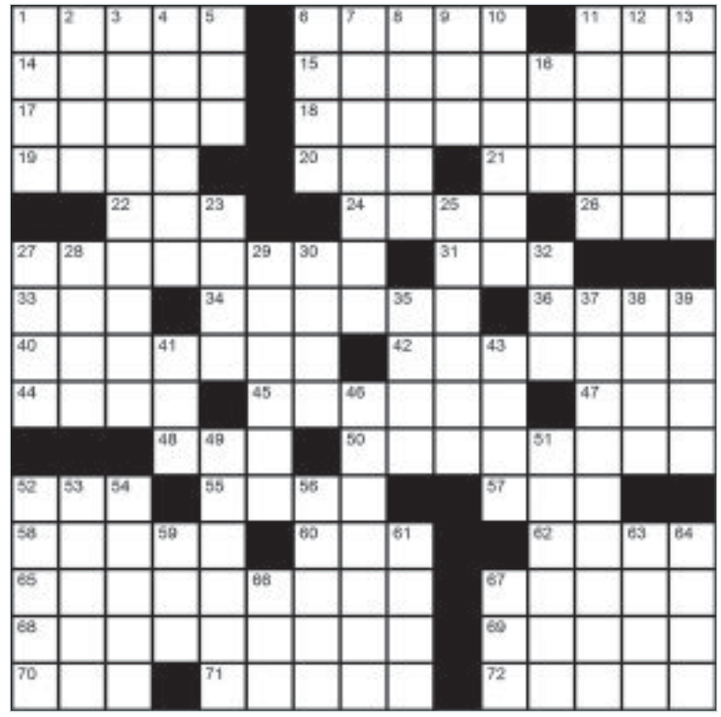

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14. Bert's pal
15. "Twelve men broke loose in '73 / From __ maximum security." — The Tragically Hip
17. Relinquished
18. Ottawa's "Desire 126" band
19. Pegs
20. Lanka's lead
21. Intl. air carrier, once: 2 wds.
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24. Sweetie
26. The Waste Land poet's monogram
27. Life insurance co. since 1896
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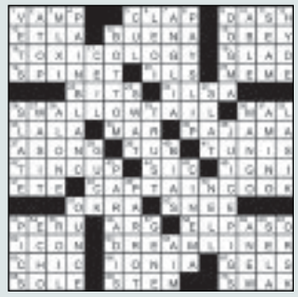
34. Birthplace of Hans Christian Andersen
36. Finished
40. Like an illuminated night
42. Newfoundland town or bay
44. Seal herds
45. Selection
47. Hebrides turndown
48. Toward the ship's stern
50. June 4- 5, 2014 'G7' Summit locale
52. Perhaps-es
55. Fancy suffix to 'Art'
57. Archaic 'your'
58. Bombers and Oilers
60. Birmingham's li'l state
62. Roof part
65. House at Hogwarts
67. Boo-booed
68. Town called 'Manitoba's Valley Paradise'
69. __ du Canada (honour, in French)
70. Outer: Prefix
71. Crispy breads
72. Donald's response, when asked who Kiefer is: 2 wds.

Down
1. Splinter group
2. Actress Ms. Summer
3. Country's Carrie (More at #49-Down)
4. Pinata party
5. Feasted
6. Cheerios' uniform letters on "Glee"
7. Cranberries singer, Dolores O'__
8. Canadian advice columnist Ms. Tesher
9. __-inclusive
10. Scarab-headed god of ancient Egypt
11. __-garde
12. Sacred Hindu texts
13. Folklore figure
16. Certain constellation
23. Organic compound
25. Short synopsis
27. Dweeb
28. Farm song bit: "Here _ __, there..."
29. Decrees
30. Mr. Rogen
32. Bamboozle
35. Awaken
37. BC: Okanagan Valley sights
38. And others, for short: 2 wds.
39. Reuben requirements
41. Edward Snowden related org.
43. Superlative suffix
46. Pyramid-top pillar
49. Mike __ (Canadian hockey star married to #3-Down)
51. Wine from Spain
52. Familiar reply to "Who's there?": 2 wds.
53. Oscar's tidy roommate
54. Decline: 2 wds.
56. Tropical tubers
59. Range's one-of-some, briefly
61. Santa __ (Hot winds)
63. True: Italian
64. Perfect place
66. Univ. web address ending, sometimes
67. 30th, sometimes, as per calendars [acronym]

Yesterday's Crossword



Sudoku

How to play
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

9			5		4			2
	7		1		3		9	
		6				7		
		1	8		9	6		
6								8
		4	3		6	1		
		2				9		
	5		6		2		3	
4			7		1			5

Yesterday's Sudoku

4	2	8	3	6	5	9	7	1
1	5	3	9	7	8	4	2	6
9	7	6	4	1	2	3	5	8
3	8	2	6	9	1	7	4	5
7	1	5	2	4	3	8	6	9
6	9	4	8	5	7	2	1	3
2	4	1	5	3	9	6	8	7
8	3	7	1	2	6	5	9	4
5	6	9	7	8	4	1	3	2

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